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This is what I'm buying myself for December Non-denominational Gift-giving Day.
(<https://www.livejournal.com/away?to=http%3A//www.ares-server.com/Ares/Ares.asp%3FMerchantID%3DRET01346%26Action%3DCatalog%26Type%3DProduct%26ID%3DDM0500>)

Who needs romance or money or power when there's technology like that in the world?

(I find it hysterically funny that Williams-Sonoma lists it for \$349.95
(https://www.livejournal.com/away?to=http%3A//www.williams-sonoma.com/products/9418666/index.cfm%3Fclg%3D64%26bnrid%3D3180501%26cm_ven%3DFRO%26cm_cat%3DShopping%26cm_pla%3Dcutchfi%26cm_ite%3DSH8%2526oe%253Dutf-8%2526aq%253Dt%2526rls%253Dorg.mozilla%253Aen-US%253Aofficial%2526client%253Dfirefox-a). You don't *have* to be stupid to shop there, but it sure doesn't hurt.)

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Is that actual Damascus??????

OMG, like being a Saracen knight scimitaring ~~infidels~~ chicken breasts!



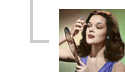
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It's the modern equivalent. It's a multiply-folded sandwich of hard steel, and steel that will take a razor edge. The watered look is the layers.

It's katana steel!

I have this one. And a paring knife.

But I am greedy. I also want the utility knife, and the *cleeeaverrrrrrr....*



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duh right. I am sloppy with the damascus thing--I say "real," I mean "modern actual foldedoverandover." Cause there are IDJITS who PRINT the pattern on. It's like a Halloween costume for your knife. >8+P

I remember that chef's knife! The Cowboy wanted it sooooo bad at the WTF BBQ... If you get the cleaver he will die of longing.



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I need a raise before I buy both....



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Oh, and the Cowboy can buy his own knives. He keeps them in a drawer. Heathen.

The WTF BBQ.

O fond memory.



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I went home FULL! Of YUM!

What an awesome party.



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Oh, want to see some *serious* knife porn?

<http://www.chefknivestogo.com/hakddachkn24.html>

It makes me a little weak just thinking about it.



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I'm gonna save up for the paring knife.

(For a set of those? I've paid less for a car. A new car.)

(That wasn't as sa-weet.)



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In fairness, they have another line that is probably just as good for everyday use?

But the KD is a *work of art*.

They're still handmade in a factory overseen by Hattori-san himself. He's 67, I think, and has been making knives since he was ten.



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I want to make a pilgrimage.

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ooo. thank you.



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Oh, knife. Want.

And I worked seasonal at Williams-Sonoma one year: one of the things they had me do was change prices on the merchandise as it came in. You *may* actually have to be stupid, or at least to have the amount of money that lowers your IQ as it raises your tax bracket, to shop there. :P



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Really. When you can get the same stuff *retail* for a third the price...



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No kidding. Although it seems to be a bit of a trend by me. I do a lot of my shopping at [St. Lawrence Market](#), which has some of the best and freshest stuff for reasonable prices in the city. Right across the street from it is a grocery store which is pitching itself as for the downtown professional gourmet. The markup is about 200%.

There seems to be a lot of money to be made in catering to the people who want the image of cooking, but not to cook.



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Oh! You are a Torontonion!

I /ove Toronto. The St. Lawrence Market! Pea meal bacon sandwiches! Yonge Street, the longest strip of cheap restaurants in the world!



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Home sweet home. :)

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